

## Afforestation in India

Dimensions of evaluation

*Authors: H S Gupta, V K Sinha, R K Singh, and D K Sharma*

With growing ecological, biological, and environmental imbalances, due importance and attention should be given to various forest resources and their management. *Afforestation in India: dimensions of evaluation* examines the monitoring and evaluation aspects of an afforestation project that incorporates various dimensions and approaches. This book is a useful guide to those interested in the monitoring and evaluation of afforestation projects.

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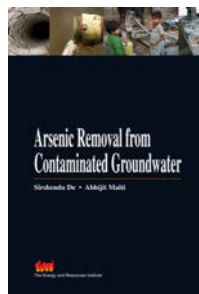
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## Arsenic Removal from Contaminated Groundwater

*Authors: Sirshendu De and Abhijit Maiti*

Contamination of groundwater with arsenic is being considered a pervasive and critical issue in recent years. Large areas in India, Bangladesh, South East Asia, and other parts of the world are suffering from this problem. *Arsenic Removal from Contaminated Groundwater* presents a comprehensive discussion on various important issues, including state-of-the-art arsenic removal technologies, preparation and performance analysis of laterite, and scale-up issues and design of a household filter. It also expounds the potentiality of raw laterite and treated laterite as low-cost arsenic adsorbents. The efficiency of adsorbent capacity is evaluated using real arsenic contaminated groundwater collected from an affected area in West Bengal, India. The topic is an emerging area and most of the work presented has the potential of field application.

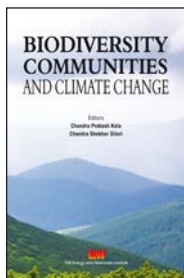


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## Biodiversity Communities and Climate Change

*Editors: Chandra Prakash Kala and Chandra Shekhar Silori*

Biodiversity conservation and sustainable use of natural resources has remained one of the key challenges for development agencies and concerned stakeholders for decades together. The huge threat of climate change has only added to this complexity. In this context, the present book *Biodiversity Communities, and Climate Change* is designed to help in guiding the various principles of biodiversity conservation, effects of climate change and role of communities at various levels and landscapes. A total of 19 chapters are covered in this book and they encompass a wide range of topics including tools of biodiversity assessment ranging from conventional ecological and social survey methods to the use of latest technology such as Geographical Information System (GIS) and remote sensing.

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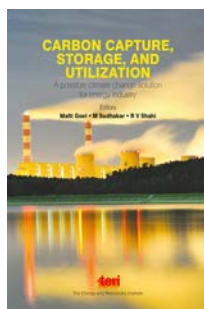
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## Carbon Capture, Storage, and Utilization

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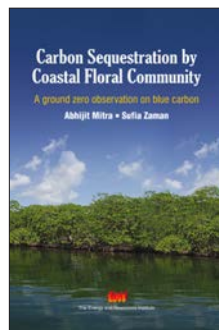
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## Carbon Sequestration by Coastal Floral Community

A ground zero observation on blue carbon

Authors: Abhijit Mitra and Sufia Zaman

**New**

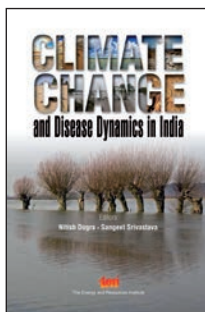


*Carbon Sequestration by Coastal Floral Community* focuses on some of the important issues of carbon sequestration. Apart from standardizing ecological approach in estimating blue carbon in various vegetation compartments, this book also presents a few important case studies, which serve as the basics of hands-on-scientific training in estimating the magnitude of stored carbon in mangroves, salt marsh, seagrass, seaweeds and phytoplankton. The influence of salinity, nutrients and several relevant hydrological parameters on the rate of blue carbon sequestration has also been critically analysed.

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*Editors: Nitish Dogra and Sangeet Srivastava*

Planetary health is today inextricably linked to population health. Climate change, an integral part of planetary health, is foremost among global environmental changes affecting human health. This mammoth challenge is characterized by the potential risk to cripple health systems worldwide and profoundly alter disease dynamics, thereby threatening the well-knit fabric as well as growth of society. Unfortunately, much of the evidence for these linkages has come largely from the developed world. By focusing on India, one of the significant developing countries of the global economy, *Climate Change and Disease Dynamics in India* aims to fill a crucial gap in the fields of climate science and public health. The book is divided into three main aspects: fundamentals, impacts, and applied. By examining these aspects and more, the book seeks to explore the multitude of issues related to climate change and disease dynamics; right from the basics to the bedside to the boardroom. Each chapter reviews relevant global and India-specific evidence, and also the implication of that knowledge in programmatic terms and policy implications.

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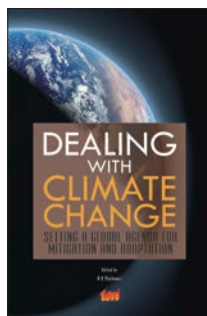
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## Dealing with Climate Change

Setting a global agenda for mitigation and adaptation

*Editor: R K Pachauri*

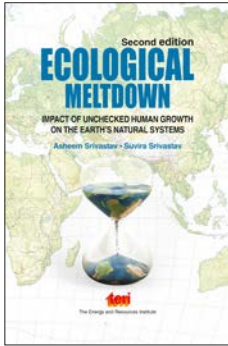
Climate change is the most important existential threat that humanity faces at the moment. There is an urgent need for a framework for international cooperation, research and development, technology, finance, market mechanisms, as well as consensus on the role of business in addressing the issue. This book presents authoritative contributions from international experts, laying out the issues, the options, and the prospects of mitigation and adaptation.



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## Ecological Meltdown

Impact of unchecked human growth on the earth's natural systems  
Second Edition

Authors: *Asheem Srivastav and Suvira Srivastav*

**New**

In the second edition of *Ecological Meltdown: impact of unchecked human growth on the earth's natural systems*, the authors discuss the destruction of biodiversity and ecosystems due to human actions. Apart from warning about the impending ecological meltdown and analysing the causes behind it, the book deals with the solutions that need to be urgently adopted by the global civil societies and national governments.

The book is an invaluable resource for policymakers and institutions in the forestry, wildlife, energy, rural development, and environment sectors. It will also prove beneficial for conservationists, scientists, researchers, and students of environmental science. A new chapter on "Time for Energy Transition" has been added in this edition.

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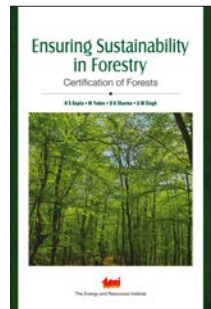
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## Ensuring Sustainability in Indian Forestry

Certification of forests

Authors: *H S Gupta, M Yadav, D K Sharma, and A M Singh*

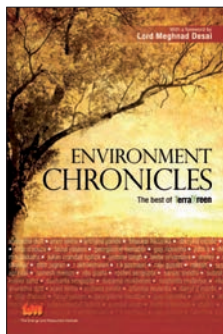
This book details the concepts and approaches required to meet desired international standards of forest certification. It brings together important issues related to forest certification, which need to be applied and utilized in the context of forests in India in the present scenario. It also focuses on economic factors, greening of certification processes, and the interface between technical and business knowledge.



### Table of contents

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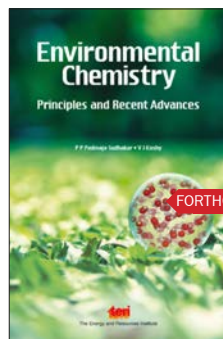
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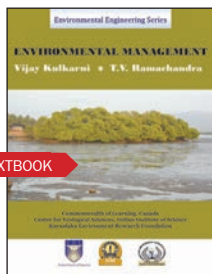


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Authors: *Vijay Kulkarni and T.V. Ramachandra*

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and international treaties; the concept of environmental impact assessment; environmental auditing; life cycle assessment; various environmental management system standards; issues and techniques, and environmental design and economics.

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Author: *V K Ahluwalia*

New

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*Environmental Pollution and Health* expounds the three main types of environmental pollution—air, water, and land—and their effects on human health. It also focuses on photochemical air pollution, marine pollution, thermal pollution, noise pollution, and radioactive pollution and their effects on human health.



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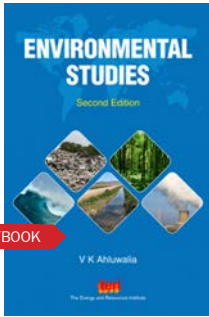
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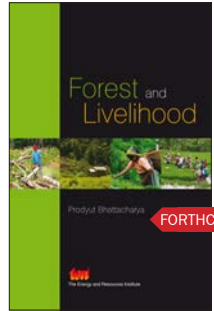
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Author: *Prodyut Bhattacharya*

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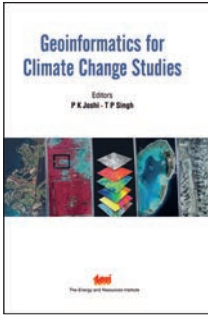
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## Geoinformatics for Climate Change Studies

*Editors: P K Joshi and TP Singh*

Climate change is increasingly being considered a critical topic in research and policy-making. Evidence related to climate change deals with spatial and non-spatial data, which can be utilized for policy formulation. Geoinformatics, which includes remote sensing, GIS, GPS, and ICT, provides the most relevant technology to monitor climate change-related variables at different dimensions and scales.

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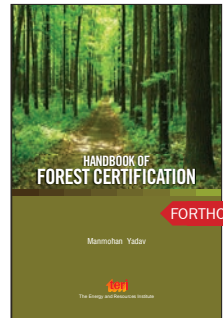
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## Handbook of Forest Certification

*Author: Manmohan Yadav*

This book details the concepts and approaches required to meet the desired international standards of forest certification. It brings together important aspects of forest certification as practised globally and which need to be applied in the emerging context of forests in India. It also focuses on changing global perspective on forest resources, importance and need for sustainable management of forests, increasing consumer awareness, and preferences for certified forest products. Drawing on a wealth of information provided by valuable studies across the globe, this volume discusses sustainable forest management and forest certification and their impact on conservation and development of biodiversity. It is a comprehensive and detailed guide for forest managers, forest owners, practitioners, forest-based industries, academicians, researchers and consultants in the forestry sector in the country.

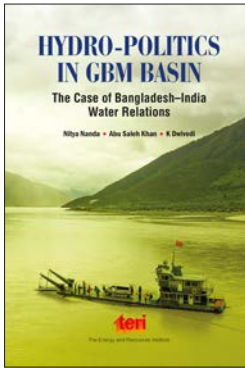


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## Hydro-politics in GBM Basin

The Case of Bangladesh–India Water Relations

New

Authors: *Nitya Nanda, Abu Saleh Khan, and K Dwivedi*

Given that South Asia is fast becoming a water-stressed region and that population and economic growth make the situation more challenging, an integrated management of water resources becomes even more crucial. *Hydro-politics in GBM Basin: the case of Bangladesh–India water relations* focuses on the water management issues between Bangladesh and India.

The book examines the issues carefully and attempts to suggest a path to deal with the challenges based on hard data and wide consultation with a large number of stakeholders in India and Bangladesh. Apart from covering the economic, ecological, and political (domestic and international) issues, it deals with treaty implications from international water-related case studies.

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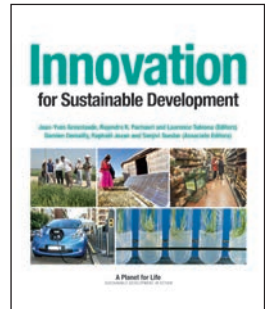
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## Innovation for Sustainable Development

New

Authors: *Jean-Yves Grosclaude, Rajendra K. Pachauri and, Laurence Tubiana*



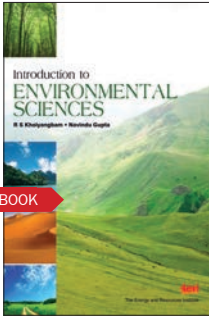
Innovations are occurring worldwide and alternative solutions to the existing problems are emerging in all sectors: electric cars, organic farming, renewable energy and e-learning are good examples. These alternatives can be ascribed with qualities such as decentralized frugal, flexible, smart and democratic, virtues that are lacking in conventional models. They are attributed with the potential to meet the overall global challenges such as climate change and the growing inequalities between and within countries. What is the real potential of innovation?

*A Planet for Life 2014* aims to answer these questions and explore innovation in all its aspects, through a series of texts written by international experts. The objective of this book is to analyse experiences from across the world and the role of innovation in a variety of areas of development such as urbanization, agriculture and food, the mobility of people and freight, education and the provision of water and energy to all.

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TEXTBOOK

## Introduction to Environmental Sciences

Editors: R S Khoiyangbam and Navindu Gupta

New

Environmental sciences is a vast and multidisciplinary science that involves the study of natural resources of land, water, and air. *Introduction to Environmental Sciences* comprehensively covers numerous aspects of this vast subject. While some chapters focus on the causes of environmental problems, others discuss methods and ways of mitigating these causes.

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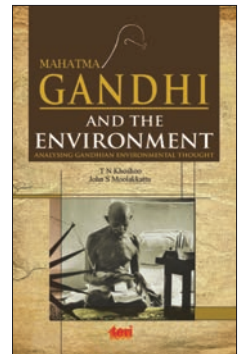
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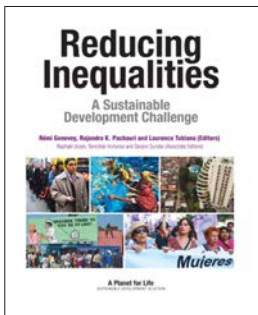
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A sustainable development challenge

*Authors: Rémi Genevey, Rajendra K Pachauri, and Laurence Tubiana*

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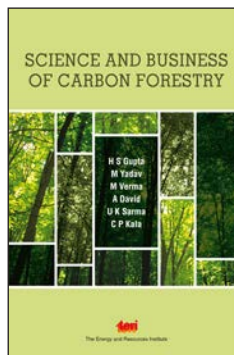
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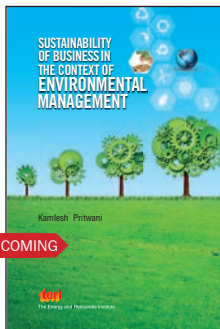
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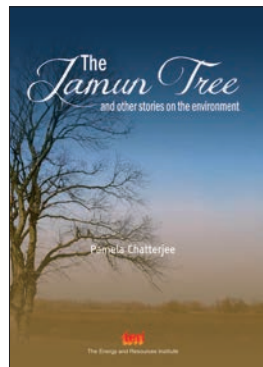
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*Author: Pamela Chatterjee*



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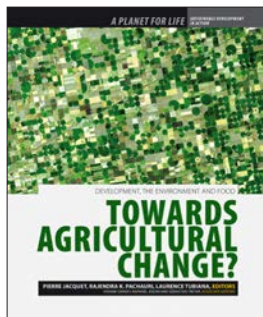
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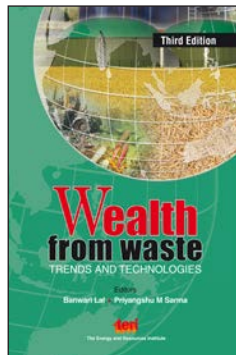
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